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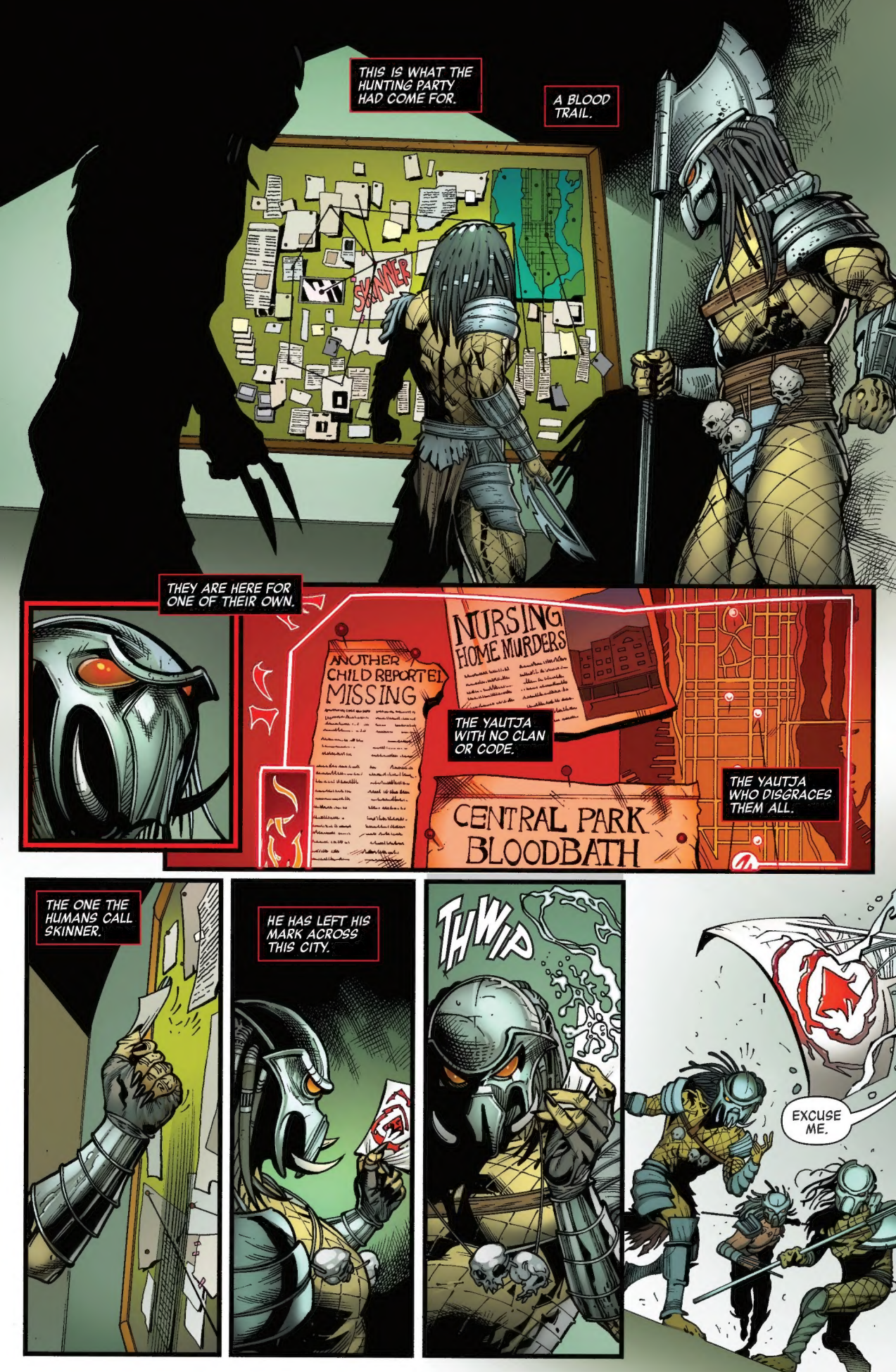
NEW YORK CITY.
DAILY BUGLE OFFICES.
WHAT'S GOT INTO YOU, PARKER?
SHHH.
DEZZT
WELL, HEY--POWER'S BACK ON? ABOUT DAMN TIME.
MR. JAMESON...
...I THINK WE NEED TO GO.
GO? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, GO?
WE GOT WORK TO DO.
THE HEAT WAVE. THE BLACKOUT. THE SERIAL KILLER.
THIS IS AS HOT A NEWS CYCLE AS THEY COME.
EXACTLY. AND I NEED TO SHOW YOU SOMETHING THAT COULD BE OUR NEXT HEADLINE.

DING
WHAT HAVEN'T YOU BEEN TELLING ME, PARKER?
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO BELIEVE IT.
SPSSSS!
BING
WHAT WAS THAT? DID YOU HEAR THAT?
KLKKKK
PARKER!
I'LL GO CHECK. BE RIGHT DOWN!

HANG IN THERE
KLKKKK


THIS IS WHAT THE HUNTING PARTY HAD COME FOR.
A BLOOD TRAIL.
SKINNER
THEY ARE HERE FOR ONE OF THEIR OWN.
ANOTHER CHILD REPORTED MISSING
NURSING HOME MURDERS
THE YAUTJA WITH NO CLAN OR CODE.
THE YAUTJA WHO DISGRACES THEM ALL.
CENTRAL PARK BLOODBATH
THE ONE THE HUMANS CALL SKINNER.
HE HAS LEFT HIS MARK ACROSS THIS CITY.
THWIP
EXCUSE ME.

WOULD YOU ALL BE INTERESTED IN SITTING DOWN FOR AN INTERVIEW?

I HAVE *SO* MANY QUESTIONS.

I'LL TAKE THAT AS A NO.

GREAT. ONCE AGAIN...

...THE PRESS IS UNDER ATTACK.

# PREDATOR
## — VERSUS —
# SPIDER-MAN

For centuries, the **YAUTJA** have stalked the inhabitants of Earth. A sentient, humanoid, extraterrestrial species, they are known for **HUNTING** other dangerous creatures for honor and sport. Capable of **INTERSTELLAR TRAVEL** via starships, they come from a planet with an atmosphere similar to that of Earth's, but their **TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENT** far outstrips that of humans. Using a combination of this advanced technology, including **CLOAKING SYSTEMS** and **PLASMA CANNONS**, and basic weapons, such as spears, blades, and nets, the Yautja traditionally claim a trophy from their prey. It takes a remarkable human to outmatch the…

**PREDATOR**

By day, **PETER PARKER** is a down-on-his-luck photographer for the *Daily Bugle* under **J. JONAH JAMESON**. He shares an apartment in Queens with his girlfriend, aspiring actress **MARY JANE "MJ" WATSON**. But unbeknownst to many, Peter was bitten by a radioactive spider and acquired the proportional speed, strength, and agility of a spider, adhesive fingertips and toes, and the unique precognitive awareness of danger called **"SPIDER-SENSE"**! After the tragic death of his **UNCLE BEN**, Peter learned that with great power there must also come great responsibility. He became the crimefighting super hero called…

**SPIDER-MAN**

Summer in New York City has brought a merciless heat wave, a blackout… and something much, much worse. An alien Predator, dubbed "THE SKINNER," is stalking the streets, flaying its victims and taking body parts as trophies. SPIDER-MAN, DET. LAPEARL, and KRAVEN THE HUNTER are all independently racing to capture the Skinner. And, unbeknownst to all, a YAUTJA hunting party has arrived and is also now on the Skinner's trail.

Meanwhile, Spider-Man's girlfriend, MARY JANE WATSON, was stranded on the subway when the blackout hit. Things went from bad to worse when the Skinner then attacked the train and, after fleeing, MJ found herself in the Skinner's underground lair.

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THIS IS STEP ONE OF A THOUSAND, BUT I THINK I GOT THIS TRANSFORMER HUMMING AGAIN.
THAT SHOULD BRING BACK POWER TO AT LEAST PART OF--
SHK
WHAT THE--?
OZZT
BWAAA

WE STAY IN THE DARK FOR NOW, NEW YORK.
IF NEWS GETS OUT--ABOUT WHAT'S ACTUALLY HAPPENING HERE--THEN THE AVENGERS WILL SHOW UP.
AND I WANT THIS HUNT ALL TO MYSELF.

KRAVEN KNEW THIS WOULD TAKE TIME AND PATIENCE-- BECAUSE THIS PREDATOR WAS NOT HIS STANDARD PREY.
OVER THE LAST FEW DAYS, THE CRIME SCENES HAD RANGED FROM A NURSING HOME IN HARLEM...
...TO THE TIGER HABITAT AT THE BRONX ZOO.
A GRIZZLY HAUNTS RIVERS DURING THE SALMON RUNS...
...AND A CROCODILE SINKS BELOW THE SURFACE OF A WATERING HOLE FREQUENTED BY GAZELLE...
...BUT FOR SKINNER, THERE IS NO SUCH SPECIFICITY TO HIS TASTE, MAKING HIM HARDER TO ANTICIPATE.
NO ONE IS SAFE.

NEW YORK IS A CITY OF EYES AND WINDOWS AND CAMERAS.
KRAVEN KNOWS THAT IF THIS PREDATOR HAS KILLED THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGHS...
...AND HASN'T YET BEEN SEEN OR RECORDED...
...THEN IT IS TRAVELING AND HIDING BELOW, NOT ABOVE.
LIKE A HUNGRY SPIDER SCRAMBLING THROUGH THE CITY'S BASEMENT.

BELOW NYC.
HOW DO WE GET OUT OF HERE?!
SOMETIMES, IT'S SAFER DOWN HERE THAN IT IS UP THERE.
MARY JANE...WHAT DO WE DO?
PLEASE!
SHH-SHH-SHH. TOLD YOU TO KEEP QUIET.
HURRY.
NOISE TRAVELS FAR AND FAST.
"HELP!"

THAT'S HIM! THAT'S THE SKINNER.
BUT THAT SOUNDED LIKE A WOMAN.
THAT'S HOW HE TRICKS YOU, LIKE A PUPPET MAN, THROWING VOICES.
THAT PASSAGE GOES DOWN, NOT UP.
YOU SAID YOU'D HELP US GET OUT OF HERE.
AFTER.
AFTER WHAT?
AFTER WE HIDE.
BECAUSE HE'S COMING.
OH MY GOD-- NO...
STAY DOWN AS LONG AS YOU CAN STAND IT.
NO!

AAAIEE!
SCREEEE!
HRRK!
SCREE! SCREE!
SCREE!
SCREE! SCREE!

SCREE!
SCREE!
STAY... DOWN.
STAY... SAFE.

THE HUNTING PARTY MIGHT HAVE COME FOR SKINNER...
...BUT THEY ARE NOT ABOVE A LITTLE SPORT.
THIS SPIDER SEEMS LIKE AN ENTERTAINING DIVERSION...
THWIP
...UNTIL HE ISN'T.
THERE ARE ONLY THREE OF YOU, BUT YOUR WEAPONS MAKE IT FEEL LIKE A DOZEN.

HEY, STRANGER. SINCE WE'VE NEVER FOUGHT BEFORE...
FWASH
...I'D LOVE TO GET A FACE TO GO WITH THE FISHNET-STOCKING BODYSUIT.
HSSSS!
UM.
ON SECOND THOUGHT...
SNIK
...YOU CAN HAVE THE HELMET BACK.

USUALLY, THE BAD GUYS LIKE TO MAKE A BIG SPEECH ABOUT WHY THEY'RE MAKING TROUBLE IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD...
...BUT YOU GUYS ARE APPARENTLY THE STRONG, SILENT TYPES.
THWIP
THWIP
SPLK
SPLAK
KRAK
THAT'S TWO DOWN...
...BUT MY SPIDEY-SENSE IS GIVING ME A MEAN TICKLE.

THE HELL IS GOING ON UP THERE, PARKER?
KHOOM
@#$%!
HAVE YOU EVER ASKED YOURSELF, MR. JAMESON...
...WHY TROUBLE SEEMS TO FOLLOW PETER PARKER WHEREVER HE GOES?
DETECTIVE LAPEARL...
HNNGH!
KRINSH

...THAT'S MY @#$%#& OFFICE THAT JUST GOT DESTROYED.
SAID IT BEFORE AND I'LL SAY IT AGAIN...
...I'M SURROUNDED BY IDIOTS, INCOMPETENTS AND ASSASSINS!
WHAT IS THAT THING?
SLAK
HARRR!
TO BE CONCLUDED!

## NEXT:

The PREDATORS finally have THE SKINNER in their crosshairs, but another great hunter stands in their way: KRAVEN. As these three competing forces battle their way through the nighttime streets, SPIDER-MAN takes to the rooftops, where he discovers something that threatens to destroy all of New York City!

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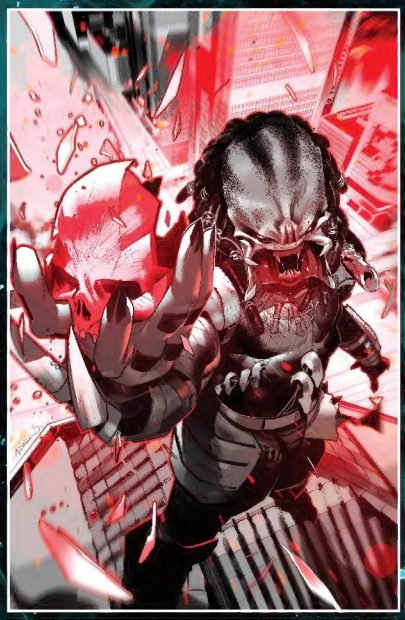

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